

**DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION**  
**(English Language Declaration)**

***This Patent Application is a Continuation-in-Part of Application Serial No. 10/109,195, filed on March 28, 2002, which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/346,282, filed on January 9, 2002.***

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**METHOD OF DECONTAMINATION OF WHOLE STRUCTURES AND ARTICLES CONTAMINATED BY PATHOGENIC SPORES**, the specification of which (check one):

is attached hereto  was filed on \_\_ as Serial No. \_\_ and was amended on (if applicable).

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<u>Prior Foreign Application(s)</u>		<u>Priority Claimed</u>		
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